December 16, 2007

Field crews from Pioneer Consulting Services (Pioneer) will be in the area of the Eastern Alternative beginning the week of December 16, 2007. Pioneer will be performing an archaeological field reconnaissance within a broad corridor of the Eastern Alternative. There is no need to be concerned at this time, as there is no preferred alternative yet. This work is necessary to assist INDOT in identifying subsurface resources that may be eligible for inclusion on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). Access to properties to complete this level of work is covered under state law (IC 8-23-7-26). Their field work should be completed in approximately three weeks. If you observe individuals on or near your property, please feel free to approach them and inquire about their intent.

Pioneer is an archaeological subconsultant to Beam, Longest and Neff, L.L.C., who is completing the Environmental Assessment for Phases III and IV of SR 641.